## DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES IN AND FOR THE STATE OF UTAH

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IN THE MATTER OF TENTATIVE APPROVAL OF THE MINING AND RECLAMATION PLAN PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY INTERPACE INDUSTRIES, INC., WEBER COUNTY, UTAH

NOTICE OF TENTATIVE

APPROVAL

NO. M/057/003

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THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS OF PRODUCTION, MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWNERS, AND PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 7 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, SLBM, WEBER COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given that tentative approval was given by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, on July 23, 1987, to Interpace Industries, Inc. to conduct surface mining operations in the SEl/4 of Section 13, Township 7 North, Range 2 West, SLBM, Weber County, Utah.

The name of the shale mining operation is the Pleasantview Pit, and the person representing the company is Mr. George A. Beamer, Engineer, Interpace Industries, Inc., Highway 27, Mica, Washington 99023.

Interpace Industries, Inc. has fulfilled obligations under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975 (Section 40-8, UCA 1953, as amended) with specific reference to Section 40-8-13 and will employ the following mining and reclamation techniques on approximately 12 acres of privately owned land. The mine is an existing operation with a planned mine life of an additional 25 years.

## During Operations:

- 1) Mining will be worked in a series of small pits disturbing a total of 12 acres.
- 2) Soil material and overburden will be stored in separate stockpiles for future restoration use.
- Reclamation will be completed as areas are mined out as follows:

- i) Mounds and sharp escarpments will be reduced.
- ii) Clays, shales, and ancillary storage facilities will be regraded.
- iii) A mantle of soil material will be redistributed over the regraded areas.
- iv) The soil will be disced and seeded with native vegetation.

## Following Operations:

Any remaining reclamation and restoration will be completed 24 months after extractive activity has ceased, and prior to mine abandonment.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision is hereby requested to submit written protest with thirty (30) days of the date of publication to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 355 West North Temple, 3 Triad Center, Suite 350, Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203, setting forth factual reasons for his or her complaint, and thereafter, at a time and place to be established, appear before the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining to show cause, if any, why this mine plan should not be approved.

Dated the 23rd day of July 1987.

STATE OF UTAH DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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